

LAST EDITION. MONDAY EVENING.

IT IS OTTERING.

New Turkish Ministry Is About to Fall.

Macedonian Troops Demand Abdication of Sultan.

YOUNG TURK TROOPS Have Concentrated Outside in Vicinity of Constantinople

And Are About to March on Yildiz Kiosk.

London, April 19.—The Macedonian troops intend to enter Constantinople today and enforce their demand for the abdication of the Sultan. The new ministry is tottering. It is believed adequate steps have been taken to guarantee public order.

The foregoing statement was received in London today in a code message from Constantinople. It was sent by the local agent of a well known banking firm.

Marching in Constantinople. Constantinople, April 19.—It is expected in Constantinople today that the main body of troops loyal to the young Turks that have concentrated outside of Constantinople, will begin their march to march across country on Yildiz Kiosk, with the object of forcing the abdication of the Sultan.

The troops loyal to the young Turks continued their advance on Constantinople last night and it is believed here that they soon will occupy Makrizeny, a town ten miles from the capital.

Two advance guards preceded the main body of soldiers. One is composed of 300 men, half of whom are officers, while the other numbers 1,000 men. These two columns are expected to occupy Pera and Galata, the foreign and official quarters of Constantinople, as soon as possible in order to protect foreigners in the event of rioting. Many of the troops in Constantinople favor the young Turks and resistance is hardly expected.

Priests Were Whipped. Vienna, April 19.—A dispatch received here from Constantinople says the priests sent out to parley with the young Turks at Tchatalja were whipped and driven away.

The leaders of the young Turks' forces have issued orders that the lives and property of all foreigners and Christians in Constantinople be adequately protected.

Germany Sends War Ships. Berlin, April 19.—A German squadron composed of the cruisers Graudenz, Luebeck, Stettin and Berlin has been ordered to Constantinople. The vessels sailed this afternoon. They will be joined in the Mediterranean by the Cruiser Hamburg, which accompanied the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern to Corfu when Emperor William went to Corfu for his vacation.

Turning Against the Palace. Berlin, April 19.—In a dispatch from Constantinople the correspondent of Loket Anzeiger says: "The situation is extremely serious. A general massacre can be prevented only by the speedy removal of the Sultan. The Liberal Unionists at last understand to what purpose the Yildiz Kiosk used them, and as a result they are partly discredited and partly discredited against the palace. The sentiment of the troops in the city is turning strongly against the palace."

"The movement of the troops loyal to the young Turks to Tchatalja appears to be proceeding with the greatest order. Everything was planned beforehand in exact detail. Tchatalja is the key to the city of Constantinople. The committee of Union and Progress has accepted an offer from Bulgaria to organize a militia for emergency purposes. A military writer in the Loket Anzeiger says it will require two or three weeks for the young Turks to transport the third army corps to a position in front of Constantinople but that the defeat of the third corps before its concentration is impossible. The Sultan will have time to make preparations to meet the Salonikins."

Killed Estimated at 1,000. Constantinople, April 19.—The American vice consul at Mersina, John Debas, reports that the disorders at Adana are quieting down.

The two American missionaries, D. M. Rogers and Mr. Maurer, were killed Thursday afternoon while attempting to extinguish a fire in the house of an aged Turkish woman. They were shot dead. The missions at Adana and Tarsus are now receiving adequate protection. Mersina is anxiously awaiting

LYNCH FOUR MEN.

Mob Numbering 200 Storm the Jail at Ada, Okla.

Overpower Sheriff, Take Out Prisoners and Hang Them.

CHARGE OF MURDER Was Pending Against All of the Victims.

Lynchers Cut Electric Wires Before Going to Jail.

Ada, Okla., April 19.—At 3 o'clock this morning a mob of 200 men stormed the county jail here, and after overpowering the sheriff hanged four white men. The lynched men are:

J. B. Miller of Fort Worth, Tex., charged with the murder of A. A. Bobbitt, a wealthy cattleman of this section; and E. E. Brown, Jesse West and Joseph Allen, alleged accomplices.

The mob worked rapidly and quietly, nothing being known of the lynching until daylight. The victims of the mob were taken to a barn within a short distance of the jail, which enclosed it. As soon as all of the members of the vigilance party were inside the enclosure the leader shouted, "Bring a rope." The leader shouted and one by one the men were hanged.

The mob effected an entrance to the jail by tearing down a high fence which enclosed it. As soon as all of the members of the vigilance party were inside the enclosure the leader shouted, "Bring a rope." The leader shouted and one by one the men were hanged.

"You might as well go home, boys," the sheriff answered, "I will never open this door. Duty is law. I'm here to observe the law and protect these men."

For reply three or four sturdy members of the mob fell against the door, breaking it. Inside one of the party dealt the sheriff a blow with his revolver, felling him. The mob then completed its work.

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AT CHICKERING HALL.

New Concert Room Opened at Emahizer-Spielman's Saturday.

Local musicians are greatly interested in Chickering hall, a new concert room, which the Emahizer-Spielman Furniture company formally opened with public concerts Saturday afternoon and evening.

The hall which is particularly attractive in arrangement and decoration, seats over two hundred people and the use of it will be granted free to music teachers and others for concert purposes. It will doubtless prove very popular with local musicians, who have been looking for a place of this description, and will certainly be glad to avail themselves of it for pupils recitals and similar purposes.

The concert Saturday evening was well attended and two creditable programmes were given in the afternoon. Professor Harvel Worrall, piano and Mr. Glen Waggoner, vocalist, were the artists of the evening. Mrs. George W. Parkhurst sang Ronald's beautiful Cycle of Life, Dvorak's Song My Mother Taught Me, Stern's Printemps, Wilkies June Morning, and Tosti's Serenade. Mrs. Robert Garver at the piano; Mr. Worrall gave piano and Mr. Oscar L. Darlow flute numbers.

These were followed by a number of songs by Apollo numbers by Mr. Mack. Weekly public concerts will be given in the hall, the date to be announced later.

GAINES-BUTLER FEUD.

It Is Being Aired in the District Court Today.

The long standing feud between H. N. Gaines and James Butler is being aired in the district court today. Butler, editor of a paper called the "Co-operative Leader," is defendant, and Gaines, owner and publisher of the "Farmers' Advocate," is plaintiff. Gaines is suing for \$25,000 damages, and includes as defendants the stockholders of the Kansas Farmer.

According to the plaintiff, Butler, on January 19, 1908, published in his paper, the "Co-operative Leader," an article containing much disrespect for the plaintiff. An extract from the article in question was added to the petition. It mentions Gaines in such degrading terms as "traitor," "midnight assassin," "confidence man," etc., and compares him to Harry Orchard, Benedict Arnold and other historic crooks.

It is charged against the stockholders of the Kansas Farmer that their corporation does job printing as a side line, and that Gaines, who is a stockholder, is in the habit of printing for hire was to set to type and print the article of the "Co-operative Leader" containing the libelous matter. The stockholders named are H. Heath, A. Cowgill, A. Low, Albert T. Reid and J. R. Mulvane. The plaintiff claims they are liable for printing the Butler publication.

The defense cites that Butler's publication, now defunct, simply retaliated in kind to numerous attacks made by Gaines upon Butler. An attempt was made to make any connection with the suit on the part of the stock company owning the Kansas Farmer, on the grounds that the publication was simply a stock job in which the printers had no interest.

TALK OF MURDOCK.

New York Herald's Complimentary Notice of the Kansas.

New York, April 19.—The New York Herald printed an article Sunday by Representative Murdock of Kansas on the night of the 18th, in which the article is prefaced by an account of Murdock. The story, with a large portrait of the Kansas killing at Speaker Cannon, occupies a full page.

"Somebody," the Herald says, "has called Victor Murdock the red haired Kansas man who always is laughing and always in dead earnest. He always is in earnest, but he doesn't always laugh. Away back in Wichita in the late '80s, Murdock and William Allen White used to foregather and in the fulness of their youth plan their future, whereby Murdock was to be the great literary light of Kansas and White its political genius."

"That plan went askew," Murdock is not great in the literary sense, but Speaker Cannon will bear evidence to the fact that he has made his political career. White is not much of a statesman, but he is a great writer. The Kansas and stories that are classic in the present day boys' literature. Furthermore, it is the opinion of Kansas that neither Murdock nor White has well served his journey."

The Herald tells of Murdock's fight against the railway mail graft. It says: "In a recent letter, written to one of his personal friends in New York, Mr. Murdock wrote:

"After I had been down here a while I discovered a thing which had been hidden away 25 years. I found that the true bill would be returned against Boyle and his wife charging kidnapping."

STOPPED ANSON'S COLTS

Police Interfered for First Time at Manhattan Field.

New York, April 19.—"Pop" Anson and his Chicago colts are indignant today because of police interference during a game at Manhattan field, in the upper part of the city with a local team of semi-professionals. The officers stopped the game after six innings of play. Throughout the Bronx the police were active in suppressing Sunday ball playing, but this is said to be the first time that a game on Manhattan field has thus been broken up.

Weather Indications.

Chicago, April 19.—Forecast for Kansas: Unsettled with showers tonight or Tuesday; warmer tonight.

HAINS ON TRIAL.

The Man Who Killed William E. Annis Last August Called to Face a Jury on the Charge of Murder.

A PLEA OF INSANITY Indicated by Manner in Which Jurors Are Examined.

The Prosecution Has Retained Three Expert Alienists.

Flushing, N. Y., April 19.—Insanity both at the time of the killing of William E. Annis and since was expected to be the chief point of the defense in the trial beginning today of Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., charged with the murder of Annis on the floor of the Bayside Yacht club on August 15, last. Counsel for the defense announced they would attempt to prove that Captain

KEPT FROM BRIDE.

George Von Eiff's Friends Play a Cruel Joke.

Kidnap Him From His Young Wife's Side.

HE FIGHTS MANFULLY But Is Overpowered and Carried Away.

Bride Faints and Is in a Critical Condition.

New York, April 19.—The happiest man in Brooklyn was George Von Eiff, man in morning suit, who sat in a taxicab with him around the former Miss Ida Whitaker of No. 105 East Tenth street, whom he had married at her parents' home five hours before and whom he was taking swiftly to the new docks where he had married her at No. 5617 Thirtieth street.

And the maddest man in Greater New York was Von Eiff five minutes later when two masked men stopped his taxicab at the corner of Fifty-sixth street and Sixteenth avenue, hustled him from the arms of his wife and spirited him away in another taxicab to Hicksville, L. I., leaving the bride deserted and alone.

The men who did the kidnapping of the bridegroom were friends of his who thought it was a joke. But they reckoned without the feelings of the 19-year-old wife who is in a serious condition as a result of the shock, and they reckoned also without consideration of the irate bridegroom's pugilistic accomplishments.

Flashed Bogus Revolvers. The taxicab, with the bride and bridegroom within it, had almost reached its destination when the two jokers sprang out from the cover of a second cab standing at the corner of the streets. They were masked and of black over the lower part of their faces and each one of them carried a bogus revolver in his hand.

"We want you," they said to Von Eiff, who had thrown open the taxi door and had covered him with their pistols. "Come on, get out, and don't make any trouble or we'll fill you full of lead."

Von Eiff, thinking them highwaymen, sprang out and began to fight them then and there. His wife fell back in a half faint on the cushions of the cab. He took the two friends several minutes to drag the bridegroom into their waiting vehicle, ten feet away. But they finally got him inside and gave orders to Von Eiff's chauffeur to take the young woman to her new home.

Fell Into Hysteria. Young Mrs. Von Eiff recovered on the way. She began telephoning frantically for aid to her husband as soon as she reached a drug store. After she returned to the taxi, she fell into hysteria, jumped from the cab, lost her way to the flat, and after groping for a half hour, had to be carried to the house, where friends put her to bed and cared for her with a doctor's aid until morning.

Meanwhile the husband was fighting his way through the streets, looking for his wife. He tore off the masks of the men who held him and broke a window of the cab in the process. But his joking kidnappers were one too many and they landed him in Hicksville, exhausted and with his clothes half torn off.

There they kept him until after 9 o'clock in the morning, and it was after 11 when he finally got back to No. 5617 Thirtieth street, to find his bride still hysterical and so ill that the shock that half a dozen neighbors could not quiet her.

The groom also was nearly a wreck from his frightful experience. A doctor's report later that the two kidnappers were George A. Treandly and John Donnelly, both residents of the neighborhood. He had counted both men his friends.

On the account, he said, he would not make a police charge against them unless his wife's illness became very serious. But he declared he would never sue to get them again, and he refused to accept their belated apologies for the ill-timed jest.

DECISION UPHELD.

Alabama Roads Denied a Rerearing at New Orleans.

New Orleans, La., April 19.—The United States court of appeals at New Orleans today denied a rehearing in the railroad rates cases of Alabama recently decided in favor of the state. The state fixes the rates by the bills sustained on 110 commodities and makes passenger fares 2 1/2 cents a mile.

The railroads figuring in the case were the Louisville & Nashville Railroad company, the Western Railway of Alabama, and the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis.

CRUSHED HIS SKULL.

Glenn McMullin of Macksville Kicked on Head—Is Still Alive.

With a piece of the front of his skull as wide as the horse's hoof which kicked him pressing his brain and rendering him unconscious, Glenn McMullin, a small boy, was brought to Christ's hospital Saturday evening from Macksville.

The boy had been playing around the stall when the family horse kicked, striking the lad full on the head. The section split open and caved in was over three inches in length. Dr. Bowen performed the operation of elevating the skull.

Today the boy is reported improving and the doctors say that he may live.

MURDERER OF BROWN CAUGHT.

Confesses He Committed the Crime and Will Plead Guilty.

Hutchinson, Kan., April 19.—Will Franklin, a negro, was arrested in Larned, Kan., on the charge of cutting J. D. Brown, a traveling salesman, in Hutchinson, and inflicting wounds from which he died on last Saturday.

The inquest was held Saturday, Franklin, while on the witness stand, admitted to have done the cutting and will enter a plea of guilty when arraigned in court.

Renard Won Marathon Race.

St. Louis, April 19.—St. Louis-Chicago game today postponed—wet grounds.

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ROBBED FREIGHT TRAIN.

Four Men Found With \$2,000 Worth of Stolen Goods.

Omaha, Neb., April 19.—The arrest on Wednesday at LaPlatte, Neb., of four men in a house in which was found stored \$2,000 worth of goods alleged to have been stolen from a freight train in the vicinity of Omaha, was followed by a full confession from the leader of the gang, which is said to implicate several others, including James Earl Ray, who is now in the hands of the police at Omaha.

The men arrested are Louis and J. W. Adair, Alfred Bachs and J. Wellers. They have been working on the Burlington near La Platte. Louis Adair made the confession. Their plan was to board freight trains at South Omaha and throw off the goods after the trains started. They have been operating since last October and are alleged to have stolen many thousands of dollars worth of goods.

WILL DELIVER ADDRESS TO SHAWNEE ALFALFA CLUB SATURDAY.

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